AT THE WAILING WALL

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To every Jewish heart, there is nothing quite so sacred and so interwoven with the traditions of race, as "The Wailing Wall" in Jerusalem. For many centuries, this has been the place of prayer and reverence and sorrow, revered above all other places, by the Jews. Mr. Holmes takes you there with all reverence; shows you devout Jews at the foot of this ancient wall, which is to the children of Israel, probably the nearest approach they can now achieve to the ancient sanctuary of their fathers, the Temple of Solomon. Even the stones in this wall are eloquent of Israel's woe: the towering masonry echoes continuously the wailing of ... the populace; every Sabbath eve. crowds of the Orthodox assemble here to recite the woes that have befallen their race. To visit this "WAILING WALL", is to look into the very hearts of the Jewish people, - to see them as they really are . - a devout, steadfast and proud people, offering up their prayers to a Jehovah whose strength they have never doubted. Other nearby scenes are also shown by Mr. Holmes, throwing into marked contrast the sombre atmosphere which surrounds this sacred wall.

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